The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Municipal Court Room on September 15, 1970 with Mayor Flanary presiding.

Present: V.O. Flanary, Ike Fultz, Archie Woods

Absent: W.G. Stallard, Robert Leonard

Also Present: Evan Norton, City Manager

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr. & Mrs. Monroe Moore appeared before council inquiring as to what the City was going to do regarding water and mud running over their property from Street above where construction work had been done. Council discussed this matter at 5263 length.

On motion by Ike Fultz, seconded by Archie Woods and carried by unanimous vote, council moved that the City Manager go up there and see what city can do to relieve the water and mud situation. Any legal matters still referred to City Attorney.

Action on appropriation for Regional Library deferred until next meeting when all members are present. 5264

On motion by Archie Woods, seconded by Ike Fultz and carried by unanimous roll call vote the following resolution regarding Park Avenue Improvement was passed: (Page 263)

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Mr. Norton gave report on resurfacing program stating the program had an overage of \$2,634.72. Mr. Norton recommended that an appropriation be made for this additional amount, said expenditure to be taken from General Fund Surplus. 5266 On motion by Archie Woods, seconded by Ike Fultz and carried by unanimous roll call vote council moved that an additional appropriation of \$2,634.72 be made for balance on resurfacing program, said funds to be taken from General Fund Surplus.

On motion by Archie Woods, seconded by Ike Fultz and carried by unanimous vote the following five men were recommended to the Citcuit Court to be appointed as members of Board of Equalization: Hershell Bowers, G. Red: Brooks, Jim Daniels, Bob Stallard, Danny Grabeal.

Council discussed Old Dominion Power Company's existing power line right of way on watershed property.

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Councilman Fultz stated that on the road out to Nettle Patch the power lines were in the tree tops. He suggested that the city manager mention this to the Old Dominion Power Company.

Councilman Fultz stated he and Mr. Norton had made a tour of Saw Mill Road and some of the streets in that section. He stated that roads were in need of repair; bridge going up saw mill hollow where school bus goes across needs repair; steel beams should be put in as soon as possible. He stated that Mr. Norton said some of the 5269 timber does need replacing. He also stated that a new signal bell at the railroad crossing is needed. He suggested that a bell be requested. He also inquired as to traffic light at Parks-Belk.

Mayor Flanary asked when the street marking was going to be done. Mr. Norton 5270 advised they would be done by first of next week.

Councilman Fultz suggested that blinker lights were needed at slow curve coming into Ramsey and D-Nor Cafe so that traffic could get up to main highway. He also 5271 suggested that city look into possibility of putting up blinker light signs at red

lights ''No Jay Walking''. Mayor Flanary stated he thinks we are too small for this; Councilman Woods thinks will cause more harm than good.

Mr. Norton advised that he and Mayor Flanary would be attending League Convention September 19th -23rd.

Mr. Norton advised council of the Governor's conference to be held in Abingdon on October 1st.

Mr. Norton presented Flag Rock Plan - map, costs, planning, etc. He recommended to council that these plans be sent to Bureau of XKoutdoor Recreation.

On motion by Archie Woods, seconded by Ike Fultz and carried by unanimous vote, council moved that Recreation Program Plans as recommended by the City Manager be 5274 submitted to the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation.

Councilman Fultz asked if they had gotten 9th Street cleared up. Referred to City Manager. 5275

There being no further business to come before the council same adjourned.

Varson a. Floray

Clerk